## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS EASTERN DIVISION

| HEFTER & CARROLL, )  |                                   |
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| Plaintiff, )   |                                   |
| v. )   | Case No. 07 C 4137                |
| MAGID ABRAHAM, both individually and as Co-Trustee of the Abraham Family Trust, and LINDA BOLAND, both indi- | Judge John F. Grady               |
| vidually and as Co-Trustee of the Abraham ) Family Trust,  | Magistrate Judge Martin C. Ashman |
| Defendants.  |                                   |

## PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR ENTRY OF JUDGMENT PURSUANT TO F.R.CIV.P. 68

Plaintiff Hefter & Carroll, by its attorneys, Daniel S. Hefter and Martin B. Carroll, moves, pursuant to F.R.Civ P. 68, for entry of judgment. In support of its motion, plaintiff states as follows:

- 1. On September 12, 2007, the defendants served on the plaintiff an Offer of Judgment Pursuant to Rule 68, a true and correct copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.
- 2. On September 21, 2007, the defendants extended the time within which the plaintiff could accept the offer of judgment through the close of business on September 28, 2007. A true and correct copy of the e-mail from the defendants' counsel to the plaintiff's counsel extending the deadline for acceptance is attached hereto as Exhibit 2.
- 3. On September 28, 2007, the plaintiff accepted the defendants' offer of judgment. A true and correct copy of the plaintiff's acceptance is attached hereto as Exhibit 3.
- 4. The offer of judgment includes an offer to pay the plaintiff's reasonable attorneys' fees and costs as determined by the Court.
  - 5. F. R. Civ. P. 68 provides, in pertinent part, that "either party may then file the offer and

notice of acceptance together with proof of service thereof and thereupon the clerk shall enter judgment."

WHEREFORE, plaintiff Hefter & Carroll prays for entry judgment pursuant to F.R.Civ.P. 68, for leave of Court to file a fee petition, and for the Court to set a schedule for deciding the amount of attorneys' fees and costs to be awarded to the plaintiff.

## **HEFTER & CARROLL**

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